

Going Places in Erie County

Vans have been assigned to
the following communities.
Please call 858-RIDE (858-7433)
to make arrangements.

City of Buffalo

City of Tonawanda
(Call 695-8658 for scheduling
Mondays only 9-11 am)

Towns of Aurora and Elma
(Call 652-8866 for scheduling
daily 8:30-4:30)

Town of Cheektowaga
(wheelchair service available)

Towns of Clarence & Newstead

Town of Concord
(Call 592-3321 between 9-5 daily or
Wed 9-12 for scheduling)

Towns of Evans & Collins

Town of Lancaster

Towns of Orchard Park & Boston

Town of West Seneca
(wheelchair service available)



Chris Collins
County Executive

Brenda W. Ward
Commissioner

For information about other
services for older adults in
Erie County, please contact

**Erie County Department of
Senior Services**

13th Floor
95 Franklin Street
Buffalo, NY 14202-3968
(716) 858-8526
www.erie.gov/depts/seniorservices

**Erie County Department
of Senior Services**

**Going Places
Transportation
Services**

858-RIDE



Going Places

As a service to older adults (aged 60+) in Erie County, the Department of Senior Services offers the Going Places Transportation Program.

The door-to-door van service is available to seniors who are unable to use conventional means of transportation.

Reservations for health-related trips may be scheduled up to two weeks in advance. Non-medical trips may be scheduled one week in advance. A brief registration is required for service.



Call 858-RIDE
8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Monday through Friday.

Priorities for Van Service

Health Related: Trips to the doctor, clinic, hospital, counseling, therapy, prescriptions, etc.

Food & Nutrition: Trips to Stay-Fit Dining Sites or grocery stores.

Personal Business: Trips for banking or bill-paying, HEAP, Social Services, HIICAP (health insurance information and counseling), legal assistance, etc.

Social Activities: Trips made for social or recreational purposes or volunteer opportunities.

Requests for travel outside the service area may not always be accommodated.

Transportation Contribution Policy

A suggested contribution is \$2 per one-way trip or \$4 per round-trip; wheelchair service is \$5 per one-way trip or \$10 per round-trip. Contributions are voluntary. Any amount you wish to give is greatly appreciated and will be used to expand the transportation program.

All contributions are confidential and no one will be denied service if unable to donate.

Because of the demands for senior transportation, travel may be limited to the nearest available facilities (with the exception of trips for health purposes).

**Erie County Dept. of
Senior Services**

Going Places Van

858-RIDE (7433)

www.erie.gov

**GOING PLACES VAN ROUTE #435
TOWN OF NEWSTEAD
ERIE COUNTY DEPT. OF SENIOR SERVICES**

CALL 858-7433 1 DAY AHEAD TO ARRANGE FOR PICK-UP ON TUESDAY AND/OR FRIDAY. IF GOING TO A DOCTOR PLEASE CALL 2 DAYS AHEAD.

CALL 858-7019 TO THE "HOT LINE" TO ARRANGE FOR PICK-UP FROM A DOCTORS OFFICE FOLLOWING YOUR APPOINTMENT.

NEWSTEAD VAN DRIVERS:	TUESDAY- BRENDA CERASANI	542-9064
	FRIDAY- JERRY SZMANIA	542-9151

****PLEASE NOTE : ON MONDAY HOLIDAYS THE DISPATCHERS OFFICE IS CLOSED SO YOU NEED TO CALL FOR PICK-UP ON THE FRIDAY BEFORE. ****